CHILDREN'S CLASSICS Suggested Reading List

*First in a Series



Juv Paperback ALCOTT L LITTLE WOMEN*

Christmas won't be the same this year for Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy, as their father is away fighting in the Civil War and the family has fallen on hard times.



Juv Fiction BARRIE J PETER PAN

The Darling children are tucked up in bed when Peter Pan entices Wendy and her brothers to fly away with him to a magical world called Neverland.



Juv Fiction BAUM L THE WIZARD OF OZ

After a tornado sweeps her to the land of Oz, Dorothy and three unusual companions must seek out the great wizard in order to return to Kansas.



Juv Paperback BURNETT F A LITTLE PRINCESS

Sara Crewe's fortune is turned upside down when she is forced to become a servant at the boarding school she once attended.



Juv Fiction BURNETT F THE SECRET GARDEN

One day Mary, a contrary and lonely child, hears about a garden within the grounds of her new home that has been kept locked and hidden for years.



Juv Paperback CARROLL L ALICE'S ADVENTURES IN WONDERLAND*

Alice, full of curiosity, follows a white rabbit down a rabbit-hole into a wondrous world where nothing makes sense.



Juv Fiction DAHL R THE BFG

Kidsnatched from her orphanage by a BFG (Big Friendly Giant), Sophie concocts a plan to save the world from nine other man-gobbling giants.



Juv Fiction DAHL R MATILDA

Matilda is an exceptional five-year-old, but her idiotic, self-centered parents and nightmare of a principal put all her considerable wits to the test.



Juv Paperback DOYLE A THE EXTRAORDINARY CASES OF SHERLOCK HOLMES

In the foggy streets of London, Sherlock Holmes uses his unique powers of deduction in eight thrilling investigations.



Juv Fiction GANNETT R MY FATHER'S DRAGON

A young boy runs away from home to rescue an abused baby dragon held captive to serve as a ferry for the lazy animals living on Wild Island.



Juv Fiction GRAHAME K THE WIND IN THE WILLOWS

The timeless escapades of four animal friends who live along a river in the English countryside—Toad, Mole, Rat, and Badger.



Juv Paperback GREEN R THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD

Robin Hood, champion of the poor, stands against the cruel Prince John and the brutal Sheriff of Nottingham.



Juv Fiction GREEN R KING ARTHUR AND HIS KNIGHTS OF THE ROUND TABLE

A legend is born when young Arthur meets Merlin and draws the mighty sword Excalibur from its stone.



Juv Fiction JUSTER N THE PHANTOM TOLLBOOTH

For Milo, everything's a bore. But when a tollbooth mysteriously appears in his room, Milo is introduced to the strange and different world on the other side.



Juv Paperback KIPLING R THE JUNGLE BOOK

The adventures of Mowgli, a young boy raised by wild animals in an Indian jungle, as well as other animal stories.



Juv Fiction LEWIS C THE LION, THE WITCH, AND THE WARDROBE*

Four English schoolchildren find their way through the back of a wardrobe into the magic land of Narnia.



Juv Paperback LINDGREN A PIPPI LONGSTOCKING*

The outrageous escapades of a lucky little girl who lives with a horse and a monkey—but without any parents—at the edge of a Swedish village.



Juv Fiction LONDON J THE CALL OF THE WILD

During the Gold Rush, Buck is snatched away from his peaceful home and brought to the harsh and bitter Yukon to become a sled dog.



Juv Paperback MACDONALD G THE PRINCESS AND THE GOBLIN

Princess Irene discovers a steep and winding stairway in her mountain kingdom leading to a bewildering labyrinth lined with closed doors.



Juv Fiction MILNE A WINNIE THE POOH

The adventures of Christopher Robin and his friends, in which Pooh Bear uses a balloon to get honey, Piglet meets a Heffalump, and Eeyore has a birthday.



Juv Fiction MONTGOMERY L ANNE OF GREEN GABLES*

When a couple decides to adopt an orphan boy who can help manage their farm, they accidentally end up with a fiery and unstoppable girl.



Juv Fiction NESBIT E THE RAILWAY CHILDREN

When their father is sent away to prison, three London children move to the country where they keep busy preventing accidents on the nearby railway.



Juv Fiction NORTON M THE BORROWERS*

Miniature people who live in an old country house by borrowing things from the humans are forced to emigrate from their home under the clock.



Juv Fiction SAINT-EXUPERY A THE LITTLE PRINCE

An aviator whose plane is forced down in the Sahara Desert encounters a little prince from a small planet who relates his fantastic adventures.



Juv Fiction SEWELL A BLACK BEAUTY

The deeply moving account of a remarkable horse's experiences at the hands of many owners, both kind and cruel.



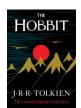
Juv Fiction SPYRI J HEIDI

Heidi, a Swiss orphan, is heartbroken when she must leave her home and grandfather to go to school and care for a sick girl named Clara in the city.



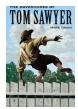
Juv Fiction STEVENSON R TREASURE ISLAND

Following the demise of bloodthirsty buccaneer Captain Flint, young Jim Hawkins finds himself with a map that will lead him to the fabled Treasure Island.



Juv Fiction TOLKIEN J THE HOBBIT

Bilbo Baggins lives comfortably in his hobbit-hole until a wandering wizard chooses him to take part in an adventure from which he may never return.



Juv Paperback TWAIN M THE ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER

Tom Sawyer and his friend, Huckleberry Finn, grow up and get into trouble in a small town along the Mississippi River.



Juv Paperback VERNE J AROUND THE WORLD IN EIGHTY DAYS

In 1872, English gentleman Phileas Fogg tries to win a bet that he can travel around the world in eighty days.



Juv Fiction WHITE E CHARLOTTE'S WEB

An affectionate, sometimes bashful pig named Wilbur befriends a spider named Charlotte, who lives in the rafters above his pen.



Juv Fiction WHITE E STUART LITTLE

The adventures of the debonair mouse Stuart Little as he sets out in the world to seek out his dearest friend, a little bird.



Juv Fiction WILDER L LITTLE HOUSE IN THE BIG WOODS*

Laura lives in a little house on the American frontier with her Pa, her Ma, her sisters Mary and Carrie, and their trusty dog, Jack.



Juv Fiction WYSS J THE SWISS FAMILY ROBINSON

Following a wild storm, the Swiss family Robinson are stranded on a tropical island, where they must use their wits and the materials at hand to survive.



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